c. c. be signified to you are intended to be made and advise us which ought, in your Opinion, to be granted or rejected and that you will add such Remarks as you think ought to Influence one Way or the other. We think it the Intention of the Legislature, and so wish to conduct ourselves, to give the Relief only in Cases where the Damage done is very great or the Person poor or so that from the Injury he is in considerable Degree disabled from paying the Taxes, and not to discount Taxes generally to the Value of Losses which have happened in many Ways to most People of this State. Be pleased to add whether the Persons applying took the Oath or Affirmation of Fidelity and Support to the State in Time, according to Law.

Justices of Cecil County Court.

## C. B.

## Monday 16 August 1779

Present as on Saturday except Thomas Sim Lee Esquire Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to John Hanson Esquire Thirty six Pounds, ninteen shillings and Eleven Pence to be delivered over to Henry Brother per Ac-

count passed by the Depy Aud.

That the said Treasurer pay to Capt Thomas Beall six thousand Dollars for the use of himself Capt Adamson Tannehill & Adjut. Josiah Tannehill Officers of that part of the late Rawlings Regim<sup>t</sup> raised and recruited in this State in leiw of the Articles allowed to them for the present Year according to the late Act of Assembly

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to James O Hara seventy five Pounds allowed to him by this Board up to the present time by Virtue of a Resolve of the General

Assembly passed the 7th Day of this Instant.

That the Commissary of Stores deliver to John Shove a 9 M° Soldier in the 5<sup>th</sup> Reg<sup>t</sup> Disch<sup>d</sup> the am<sup>t</sup> of twenty nine Pounds ten shillings in Cloathing due him by Act of Assembly to procure Troops for the American Army

That the said Commissary deliver to James O Hara 1 pr

Shoes and 1 pr Overalls

Commissions issued to Edward Salmon appointed Capt in the room of Abraham Haff Esq<sup>r</sup> John Link 1 Lieut, Henry Hinds 2<sup>d</sup> Lieut, & James Hooper Ens. belonging to the Frederick Town Battalion of Militia in Frederick County.

C. C. p. 17 [Council to —— Bush.]

In Council Annapolis 16th August 1779

Sir

We are informed by Letter from the Lieutenant of Kent